



# Missouri Campus Compact At-A-Glance

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**Missouri Campus Compact (MOCC)** is a membership organization of college and university presidents established to strengthen civic engagement and service-learning partnerships between Missouri's postsecondary institutions and the communities they serve. There are currently 37 member institutions, all committed to enhancing students' responsibility, citizenship and awareness of the community while reinvigorating higher education's concern for improving the quality of life in society. MOCC is one of 35 state compacts in a national network. At the national level, Campus Compact is a coalition of more than 1,100 college and university presidents, representing more than 6 million students.

## Services

- **Training** for faculty, staff, students, administrators and community partners.
- **Research** on effective practices.
- **Resources**, including print and online books, journals and more.
- **Information sharing** throughout our state, regional and national networks.
- **Campus consultation** to meet specific needs.
- **National and state policy work** on issues relating to higher education.
- **Partnerships** with academic, community, business and government leaders.
- **Grants and funding** for engaged work.

## Seven 2010 MLK Collegiate Challenge Grants Awarded

Seven Missouri Campus Compact member campuses were awarded grants totaling \$5,000 for the second Missouri Meets the Challenge! MLK Collegiate Challenge on MLK Day of Service on January 18, 2010. Cottey College, Metropolitan Community Colleges-Kansas City, Missouri Southern State University, Missouri Western State University, Truman State University, University of Central Missouri, and University of Missouri-St. Louis received mini-grants from Missouri Campus Compact to serve as host campuses. Missouri Campus Compact received the grant for the Missouri Meets the Challenge! MLK Collegiate Challenge from North Carolina Campus Compact and primary funder – the Corporation for National and Community Service. Campuses who did not receive a mini-grant are encouraged to participate by partnering with one of these seven host campuses.

## MOCC Statewide Faculty Fellows Program

The purpose of the Missouri Campus Compact (MOCC) Engaged Fellows program is to promote the scholarship of engagement as a rigorous and scholarly form of teaching, research, and professional service. By modeling best practices, Engaged Fellows will strengthen higher education in the state of Missouri by addressing a significant social, economic, environmental, or professional issue.

One Senior Fellow and Four Engaged Fellows will be selected, on an annual basis, from across the state of Missouri to work as a cohort on an issue of their choice that will result in the publication/dissemination of research, scholarly, or artistic work relating to the service performed with a community organization or to the practice of service-learning and/or public scholarship.

## Missouri Campus Compact Semester of Service

The Semester of Service Program is a way to encourage and recognize students for serving their communities through service-learning and volunteering. The Semester of Service Program will kick-off with the MLK Collegiate Challenge on January 18, 2010.

## Professional Development Webinar Series

The professional development webinar series will include topics such as risk management, reflection assessment, course redesign, and new faculty training. Webinars will begin in 2010.

## Coming Up: Conferences

Missouri Campus Compact will co-host, with Kansas and Oklahoma Campus Compacts, a regional conference in Tulsa, OK in September of 2010.

## Coming Up: Grants

Missouri Campus Compact is applying for the following grants that will directly benefit member institutions:

- *AmeriCorps\*Education Award program (Application in January 2010)*
- *Learn & Serve Grant (NOFA January 2010)*

## Grants and Awards to Member Institutions

- Support Grant-International Conference on Service-Learning & Community Engagement \$1,000.00
- 2010 MLK Collegiate Challenge Grants \$5,000.00

Missouri Campus Compact will announce the next MOCC micro-grant NOFA in November. Grant applications will be due in March and awards will be made in late April of 2010.

### MOCC Member Institutions

Central Methodist University, Fayette  
 Cottey College, Nevada  
 East Central College, Union  
 Fontbonne University, St. Louis  
 Jefferson College, Hillsboro  
 Lincoln University, Jefferson City  
 Linn State Technical College, Linn  
 Maryville University, St. Louis  
 Metropolitan Community College - Blue River, Independence  
 Metropolitan Community College - Business & Technology, Kansas City  
 Metropolitan Community College - Longview, Kansas City  
 Metropolitan Community College - Maple Woods, Kansas City  
 Metropolitan Community College - Penn Valley, Kansas City  
 Mineral Area Community College, Park Hills  
 Missouri Southern State University, Joplin  
 Missouri State University, Springfield  
 Missouri State University, West Plains  
 Missouri University of Science & Technology, Rolla  
 Missouri Western State University, St. Joseph  
 Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville  
 Ozarks Technical Community College, Springfield  
 Park University, Parkville  
 Rockhurst University, Kansas City  
 St. Charles Community College, Cottleville  
 St. Louis Community College - Florissant Valley, Ferguson  
 St. Louis Community College - Forest Park, St. Louis  
 St. Louis Community College - Meramec, St. Louis  
 Stephens College, Columbia  
 Truman State University, Kirksville  
 University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg  
 University of Missouri - Columbia, Columbia  
 University of Missouri - Kansas City, Kansas City  
 University of Missouri - St. Louis, St. Louis  
 Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis  
 Westminster College, Fulton  
 William Jewell College, Liberty  
 William Woods University, Fulton